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Beyond some comparatively slight

deliberations over the wording of the protocols no further trouble is expect-

ed here, where the raising of the block-ade will be regarded with almost as

must relief as it will be in Venezuela.

EXCHANGE OF COMMUNICATIONS

Washington, Feb. 7.-Many exchanges

are going on between Washington and

European capitals as the result of the efforts of the allies' representatives here to prepare satisfactory protocola providing for a settlement of the Vene-

providing for a settlement of the vene-zuelan claims. The task of drawing up the document is very complicated, owing to the necessity for providing against all contingencies and framing

set of agreements for the settlement

of the claims that will resist the at-

tacks of astute international lawyers.
The first protocols provide for a reference of the preferential claims to

The Hague tribunal. The impression prevails here that this issue can be

soon disposed of by arbitration in the interest of a quick decision and reduced

expense, it is suggested that all the parties to the arbitration, including the

other claimant powers than the allies, which would take in the United States,

FIFTY-THIRD YEAR

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1903. SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

Chief Paul's Gambling Order.

Affirms in an Interview, Which Was Submitted to Him Before Publication Today, That He Was Not Misquoted, but That Others Put Misconstruction Upon What He Did Say-Heartily Endorses Deseret News Policy.

STRAIGHT FROM THE SHOULDER NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

Among those who got notices from Chief Paul today that they must case renting their property for gambling or run the risk of vigorous prosecution were some of the most prominent citizens of the town, But the chief says that will make no difference with him. He declares that his duty is plain and that he proposes to hereafter enforce the law and be no respecter of persons. His order is as follows:

"Office of Chief of Police, Salt Lake City, Utah, Feb. 7, 1903. Mr. - Salt Lake City, Utah. Dear Sir-You are hereby specially notifed that under the provisions of Chapter 33 of the Penal Code contained in the Revised Statutes of Utah, 1898, being sections 4261 to 4266, both inclusive, it is unlawful for any person to knowingly permit any game of fare, monte, roulette, lansquenet, rouge et noir, rondo, or any game played with cards, dice, or any other device, for money, checks, credit, or any other representative value, to be played, conducted or dealt in any house, owned or rented by him in whole or in part.

"You are further notified that heretofore on the premises known as No. there follows description of premises), and owned and controlled by you, there has been conducted one or more of such games, and you are hereby warned that you must not lease, let or rent such premises or any other premises, owned or controlled by you for any such purposes or permit them so to be used in the future.

"Your failure to comply with the notice and warning contained herein will result in your being vigorously prosecuted for the offense. Very "SAMUEL PAUL, "Chief of Police,"

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er property. A notice was not sent to Mayor Thompson today, but his escape

from getting it was only averted by the fact that it was officially discov-

ered that Dillon and Morgan are the

people who have let the property in question, they having rented it direct

from the Mayor and then sublet it to

PAUL SAYS "NEWS" WAS RIGHT

chief was at first inclined to let it drop,

"Your statement published last night

vas all right and just as I gave it to

you except with reference to the mayor removing me. In that you misunderstood me; you did not understand exactly what I meant. The point is this: The mayor has always been in favor of cleaning the control of the cont

of closing up the gambling houses bu

when I said if they did not like what

I was going to do the mayor appointed me and he could remove me. I had ref-

erence to this notice which I will send

today to the owners of property where

gambling is being conducted. It was in sending this notice that I was acting

upon my own authority, and not at all

with reference to stopping the gam-bling. When a Tribune reporter came

to me for a statement, I gave him just

the same as I gave you with the ex-

ception I have explained. What I wanted distinctly understood was that

Mayor Thompson has always been in favor of closing the gambling houses,

and not that there was any clash be-tween the mayor and me on that point.

When I said they could remove if they didn't like it, it was with reference to

THIS NOTICE SENT TO THE PROP-ERTY OWNERS THAT I WOULD

PROSECUTE THEM. I saw the mayor

last night and explained to him that

what I meant was misconstrued, I re-

peat what I said to you, and it was all

these notices. Here is a copy of the notice and they will be sent to the

property owners today. I don't want you to think for a minute that I enter-

tain the notion that you are trying to put either the mayor or myself in a

false light, as it was simply a miscon struction, not a misstatement. The

'News' has always treated me fairly and courteously, and the items pub-lished about this department have al-

ways been true and correct to the let-

CALLS THE TRIBUNE DOWN.

The above interview, after being

written out, was shown to Chief Paul this morning, and the chief said in

positive terms:
"There is not a thing wrong about

that. I endorse every word of it."
Then pointing to the article in the
Tribune, which stated that "Chief
Paul and Mayor Thompson de-

nounced the News' report as false in every material point," said: "They can just take my name out of that. I did not tell the Tribune anything of the

kind. What I told the Tribune was

virtually the same as what I told you, but they have dressed it up in a dif-

right only I was not understood about

but finally said:

ss" that Chief of Police Paul had d that all gambling must cease in take from date, was glad tidings clared that he had taken the step ut authority or instruction from

he publication of the story apparhe cited Chief Paul before him for xplaination. The interview lasted nearly an hour. When the mayor erged from the conference he was la very angry man. It is not own whether Chief Paul's statement him was entirely satisfactory but presumption is that it was not. at happened at the meeting formed ulcy morsel for the morning papers, thof which sought to convey the idea the interview with the "News" erday afternoon was not genuine. they might as well dismiss all bt from their minds in this regard Chief Paul affirmed to this paper ay that it was substantially correcrespects. What the chief said day and what he is willing to nd for today is that he declared that was going to stop all gambling in city, and that he proposes to see It that it stays stopped; that if the inances of the city are not sufficient, the will resort to state statutes; theretofore he has been in favor of mbling under police restriction; but it that time is no more; that he has cluded since the big holdups on aday night that gambling houses are ices and hiding places for robs and other criminals; that had it en for them the police would we been able to do a great deal more than about the same and apprehending the thugs who ded Morrison's store than they have: twhen the mayor asked him why he to ordered gambling stopped he told b just what he told the Deseret wathat he was doing it without therity or instructions from any one; if they didn't like it he, the mayor, bing appointed him could also rely-dailying and that from this time th gaminghouses must close their ors and that the owners of these es-allshments would be notified that y would be prosecuted if they con-bed renting their premises for any th unlawful purposes.

ON MAYOR'S PREMISES. hat Chief of Police Paul is very ch in earnest is evidenced by the it that he is sending out notices to property owners whose premises are ted for gambling purposes. It has a transpired that Ezra Thompson,

enting their premises for any

mayor of the city, has property is is the business district. The ban will mayor of the city, has property the business district. The ban will ferent form to suit themselves." DR. ROGERS DEAD.

asant Grove Physician Succumbs To Ravages of Pueumonia. (Special to the "News.")

asant Grove, Feb. 7.-Dr. R. M. ers, a practicing physician of this ce, died at his home here last night, cause of death being pneumonia.
had been alling for some time so
t his demise was not altogether unbectel. Decensed was born at Wellton, N. Y., Jan. 19, 1823, and when
roung man moved west to Kirtland,
where a became a manufact of the ere a became a member of the where a became a member of the urch. He came to Utah in 1861, iling first in Draper and moving latto Moroni, then to Provo, and 15 ago to Pleasant Grove, where he resided ever since. Dr. Rogers a member of Gen. Warren S. we staff during the Indian troubles staff during the Indian troubles other respects he assisted maally in opening up the country to litation and settlement. He had a practice in this vicinity and leaves us drug business conducted almself and sons. A large family

funeral will be held from the

#### WARMER WEATHER COMING. Was Cold Today but Temperature is Now Rising.

The cold spell is drawing to a close. The mercury in this city fell to 4 degrees above zero early this morning, but the local weather office says today will see the last of the cold wave, as there is a warm wave approaching rapidly from the northwest coast, and by tomorrow evening it is expected that the weather will be sloppy. The cold snap began on the 3rd inst., when the mercury registered 9 degrees above. On the 4th inst., the lowest register was 4 degrees, on the 5th inst., 5 degrees, on the 6th inst., 8 degrees, and

on the 7th inst., 4 degrees. From the 20th inst., steadily warmer weather may be looked for, although there are occasionally cold snaps later in the winter and in early spring. On Feb. 13, 1884, the mercury fell to 13 degrees; on Feb. 28, 1880, the mercury fell to 3 degrees; on Feb. 27, 1890, it was 6 degrees. On March 1, 1890, the ther-

people in that part of the state have prolonged intense cold.

GEORGE MOORE RESIGNS.

Has Left the Management of the Suns

A rumor was affoat today that Mr leorge Moore had tendered his resignation as manager of the Sunshine mine at Sunshine, and that a representativ of the eastern shareholders had arrived o consult with him as regards to th future of that property.

Mr. Moore was in Mercur, whence he is conducting some experiments with the filter presses of his own patent. He was reached by telephone and from him a confirmation of the report was obtained. The resignation, Mr. Moore stated, was handed to the directors of the company about three weeks ago, but it was not acted upon promptly. Mr. Moore-would not state his reasons dr. Moore-would not state his reasons

of cleaving the Sunshine.

A Mr. Harris, formerly in the employ of Samuel Newhouse, has been named as his successor and his arrival from the east has been noted.

OPPOSITION IN STORE

Doctors Will Fight the Proposed Licensing of Osteopathists.

The practitioners of osteopathy are ikely to meet with some opposition over the bill pending in the senate for icensing them. While the regular loctors admit that osteopathy is as far as it goes, and beneficial in cases where massage and manipulation are necessary, they do not think they bould be licensed without having taken degree in some medical institution of learning, which would qualify them o discriminate as to what cases it hould be used in and in what to be

Dr. E. C. Ewing, the newly elected president of the Sait Lake Medical association, will bring the subject be-fore it on Monday next, upon the deivery of his first address as president. The senate committee on public health has unanimously recommended the bill favorably. The matter will be laid before the society and the legislative committee, headed by Dr. E. F. Root, may take active measures to defeat it. ldent Ewing believes they should e held to the same requirements that ther physicians are obliged to and thould pass the same examination. Dr. C. E. King, the retiring president of the medical association, is of the same opinion. Dr. E. W. Whitney, vice president of the association, admits that there is much good in esteopathy. but that the practitioners of it should not be licensed to treat diseases of a general character. He said it was beneficial in some cases, but in others it was decidedly harmful.

A "News" reporter saw Chief Paul at the latter's office early this morning and asked him for a statement with reference to the gambling order. The Members of the Utah Osteopathic asociation will make a fight for it and think they can get it through the sen-ate. In the house, however, Dr. Con-don is chairman of the health com-mittee and agrees with the views exressed by " other p'nysicians above amed. It s claimed that 17 states named. have adopted the law proposed by Senator Bamberger.

#### SWEDISH FAMINE FUND. Amount Has Now Reached the Gratify ing Total of \$420.15.

The fund for the relief of the sufferers in northern Sweden is assuming gratifying proportions, for all of which those interested in the matter are very thankful. The amount collected to date is \$420.15, acknowledged by A. W. Carlson as follows:

Acknowledged Jan. 31, 1903 .....\$381.55 A friend, Salt Lake City ...... 1.00 Two Swiss friends, Salt Lake City 1.00 Henry W. Lunt, Cedar City ..... 50 Peter Froyd, Cedar City ...... Bengt Nelson, Cedar City ...... 3.00 Ellen J. Nelson, Cedar City ..... 56 August L. Palm, Cedar City ...
Louisa Palm, Cedar City ...
John A. Jenson, Cedar City ...
O. P. W. Bergstrom, Cedar City ... John V. Adams, Cedar City ..... Bengta Adams, Cedar City ..... C. J. Arthur, Cedar City ...... Lars Sandin, Cedar City ..... Joseph H. Hunter, Cedar City Joseph T. Wilkerson, Cedar City., Thomas Walker, Cedar City .... Daniel Pendelton, Cedar City .... Myron D. Higbee, Cedar City ... H. McDonald, Cedar City..... 

Josephina Hallman, Cedar City .. 1.09 Bengt Nelson, Jr., Cedar City .... Wm. R. Palmer, Cedar City ..... Joseph Casslett, Cedar City ..... Bessie Parry Cedar City ...... David Haight, Cedar City ..... E. J. Haight, Cedar City ....... George Wood, Cedar City ...... Sarah Ann Bullock, Cedar City.. Amos Workman, Cedar City .... Daniel Leigh, Cedar City ....... George Urie, Cedar City ...... Thomas A. Hhurley, Cedar City...
O. G. Bracken, Cedar City...
W. H. Corey, Cedar City...
Elizabeth Corey, Ceda City...
George W. Middleton, Cedar City

Harry Bennett, Cedar City ..... Andrew Corey, Cedar City ...... Alfred Froyd, Cedar City ..... Josephine Sandin, Cedar City .... A. Ramseyer, Salt Lake City... 56 A. A. Carlson, Salt Lake City... 1,00 Anna Pettersson, Salt Lake City .. 1.00 Mary Larsen, Salt Lake City Johanna Witzell, Salt Lake City 1.00 Lester Merrill, Salt Lake City 1.00

Nels Lemvitzon, Victor, Bingham Charlotta C. Larsson, Salt Lake Lavisa Larrson, Sait Lake City Johanna C. Lofgren, Salt Lake

Matilda Lofgren, Salt Lake City., 2.00 S. Jensen, Mancos, Colorado ..., 2.50 Ans M. Nielsen, Ninth ward, city 1.60

.. \$420.15 SURSCRIPTIONS IN OGDEN. Ogden, Utah, Feb. 7.A committee of Swedes in Ogden are circulating subscription lists for the relief of the sur-ferers in northern Sweden. Since last evening \$300 has been raised. The com-mittee claim they will be able to send \$3,000, many prominent men having promised large donations. Those subscribing are all Swedish members of the "Mormon" Church.

Pelee Continues Active.

Parls, Feb. 7.-The governor of the Sanday, at 3 p. m., after which home, where after services at 10 then this is exceptional.

The mercury last night went down to zero, and that its summit is constantly changing then the interred in to 14 degrees below at Modena. The matter are thrown out. island of Martinique, in a dispatch to the colonial office, announces that the Mont Pelee volcano continues active, that its summit is constantly changing

# Bad Situation In Macedonia.

Sultan of Turkey Orders Immediate Mobilization of Two Hundred and Forty Thousand Troops for a Military Demonstration-Firm Note From Russia and Austria.

port that the sultan of Turkey has or- | mobilization of such an army is clear-240,000 troops for a military demonstra- tion of this note. The mobilization of tion in Macedonia. The steps taken so many troops is regarded here as unand Russia and Austria. It is said that Asiatic Turkey are semi-barbarous the Russian and Austrian governments tan, which will be presented within the next few days, insisting on administrative and official reforms in Mace- | to the course to be pursued towards the

been received here confirming the re- it. It is considered that the sultan's are regarded with apprehension by the wise and dangerous, especially as it is said that the soldiers who are to volve complications between Turkey be brought into Macedonia from levies and are hostile to Christians which will tend to inaugurate anothe the powers are exchanging views as

# BIGGEST LAW SUIT IN HISTORY OF UTAH

Claim for \$55,845,000 Filed in the Federal Court in This City This Afiernoon-Railroads Asked to Make an Accounting in Case of First Mortgage Bonds.

The biggest law suit ever commenced | first case, of the Western Central Pa in this state had its beginning in the federal court in this city this afternoon, when papers were filed asking for an accounting from the Pacific railroad companies on first mortgage bond is-John A. Kuykendall, administrator of

the estate of Charles Durkee, through D. W. Wood of Washington, D. C., and Zane & Stringfellow, attorneys, filed the two petitions asking that an ac-counting be made by the Union Pa-cific, Union Pacific Railroad company of Utah, Southern Pacific, E. H. Harriman, Mercantile Trust company, J. Pierpont Morgan, W. D. Cornish, the Northwestern Trust company the Sioux City and Pacific Rallway company, and a number of other defendants in the one case, and the Western Pacific railroad of California, Central Pacific Railroad company of California, Central Pacific Railroad company of Utah, Southern Pacific Railroad company, Southern Pacific Rrailroad company of Kentucky, H. E. Huntington et al in the other case and asking that the defendants each and every one of them be compelld to render a sworn statement and or bonds in their hands or under their control, or that come to their knowledge known as the first mortgage bonds, and that upon a final hearing the court may decree that Charles Durkee, at the time of his death, Jan. 14, 1890, was the sole owner in his own right of all the first mortgage bonds on the roadbed and franchises, in the

cific Railroad companies of California ount of the government bonds to \$28,616,000, with 6 per cent interes date of issue of bonds payable

in gold.

The second petition which applies to the Union Pacific holdings involves \$77,229,000 and is worded in practically the same manner. Attached to each petition are five copies of certain mortgages involving the Harriman holdings, the earliest of which dates back to July 1, 1865. The petitions set forth that Charles Durkee in his life time bought, owned and controlled all o raid mortgages equal to the amount of the United States government subsidy

The claims set forth in the above ac there have been frequent rumbles regarding the likelihood of the com-mencement of legal proceedings here Charles Durkee was the sixth govrno of Utah, arriving here in 1865 and taking the oath of office in October that year as the successor of Governor He was warmly welcomed here and made a good official. He com-pleted his term of office in 1869 and some time afterward returned east. He has been dead for many years, having passed away in 1870. That the estate and those who represent it have a tremendous fight on their hands is some thing they fully realize. Besides, it is not thought that the big corporations against whom the contest is being waged are losing any sleep over the

### GOV. PARDEE AFTER CORRUPT PILOTS.

San Francisco, Feb. 7.-The Call says that Gov. Pardee is the custodian of evidence tending to prove that bribery and corruption have lent a full measure of influence in the appointment of pilots for the port of San Francisco and he has inaugurated an investigation. A summons, it is said, has been issued to a prominent pilot of this port directing him to appear before the governor next Tuesday and tell what he knows of the charge that gold bought him the appointment. It is alleged that his position cost him \$8,000. Call aserts that unsuccessful negotia tions for the sale of a position as pilo were carried on directly with Pilot Com-misioner Charles H. Pratt, by Capt. Charles Hall, master of the South

Portland. It is alleged that a revelation of this fact prevented the appointment of Pratt as harbor commissioner by Gov

The Call asks for an investigation of the causes of the retention of Pilot Jordan after the wreck of the Rio de Janeiro, and also requests an inquiry into the appointment of Capt. vor Helms as a pllot.

Defense in Grave Robbing Case.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 7.-The de fense today in the trial of Dr. J. C. Alexander for grave robbing, asked that the state be required to elect or which count of the indictment it would go to the jury, also that the fourth count be withdrawn from the jury.

The fourth count charged that Dr. Alexander was "demonstrator of anatomy" of the college and had posses sion of the body of Rose Neidlinger After hearing arguments the overruled the motion of the defense.

### For Relief of Starving Finns.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 7.-The corre spondent of the Associated Press returned yesterday from Helsingfers. He found the measures for the relief of the distress in Finland apparently well organized. The distribution of funds is carefully supervised. The Finish national relief committee has received up to the present \$16,000 from American relief organizations. General surprise and gratitude is expressed at the large contributions which the committee has received. Other foreign countries have contributed \$3,000, and in Russia \$23,000 had been collected, including \$14,000 from the Russian Red Cross society, of which the downer exarina is the prowhich the dowager czarina is the pr tectress, \$2,000 from the czar and \$1,000 from the czarewich.

from the czarewich.

The Finns were agreeably astonished at the fact that the imperial gifts and the Russian contributions through the official St. Petersburg committee granted by the interior minister, Von Piehwe,

with Admiral Craemer as chairman, were sent to Finnish committees in stead of Gov. Gen. Probrickoff. The governor, however, is receiving the funds collected by the Novoe Vremya.

### Montreal Strike Unsettled.

Montreal, Feb. 7.-The employes of the Montreal street railway at a meeting today refused to ratify the terms agreed upon by their committee and President Forget of the railway company, for a settlement of the strike which begun Thursday night. Lieut, Col. Gordon, deputy officer

ommanding the Fifth military district. has been in consultation with Mayor Cochran. Measures were discussed for the protection of street railway propcrty in the event of the strike becom

The Duke of Connaught hussars and the Victoria rifles have been unofficially informed to be in readiness to mobolize at a moment's notice.

### B. W. Winters Arrested.

New York, Feb. 7.-Byram W. Winters, for seven years in charge of the customs bureau here, was arrested today on a charge of embezzling mone belonging to the United States. The Strenahan was the complainant. Win-ters was held in \$10,000 ball by Commissioner Shields for trial, examina-tion being waived.

Collector Stranahan made this state "Byram H. Winters, a clerk in the custom house, who for seven years had been in charge of the customs bureau at the postoffice, has been found short in his accounts. He was appointed March 28, 1889. The shortage on the present figures would seem to be about \$8,000."

#### Pratt Not Guilty of Uxorcide. Reading, Pa., Feb. 7 .- William Pratt who has been on trial two weeks.

charged with the murder of his wife Was today declared not guilty. Mrs Pratt was found dead in November 1961, at her home in Chester county Her husband was charged with the ty was convicted of murder in the firs degree. Pratt's counsel argued that the woman committed suicide and ask ed for a new trial and a change o venue, alleging that the minds of the Chester county residents had been pois oned against their client. A change of venue was granted and Prait was placed on trial in Berks ocunty with the above result.

### THE FRIAR LANDS.

Taft and Guldi Will Resume Negotiations Monday.

Manila, Feb. 7 .- Gov. Taft and Archbishop Guidi, the papal delegate, will resume on Monday, the friar lands negotiations which were interrupted for the purpose of gathering data concern- covery.

ing the estimates. It is anticipated that the prices asked by outsiders having equities in the friar lands will prove excessive. Neither the outsider nor the members of the religious orders have as yet formally submitted the

#### Edna Lyali Very Ill.

London, Feb. 7.—Edna Lyall, (Adael-en Bailey) the author, is gravely ill it Eastbourne, Sussex.

#### H. B. Woodbridge Dead.

Chicago, Feb. 7,-H. B. Woodbridge t well known newspaper man, is dead He was formerly city editor of the He was fornerly city editor of the Chicago Times, city editor of the New York Sun, and telegraph editor of the Omaha Bec. Mr. Woodbridge was 40 years old, and a native of Vermont. He was a son of the late United States Schator Wiedbridge of that state, and was a graduate of Dartmouth college. Mr. Woodbridge was unmarried, but several transpers of the family reside. ral members of the family reside

#### Treasury Balances.

Washington, Feb. 7.-Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund exclusive of the \$15,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemp-Available cash balance, .....\$224,758,011

### Increase in Capital Stock.

New York, Feb. 7 .- It is semi-officialy stated that the protased increase in he capital stock of the Pennsylvania allway will be from \$235,000,000, the present capitalization to \$400,000,000. The increase will be made from time to time, as circumstances may require. There being about 28,000 shareholders and the Pennsylvania laws requiring a

#### Deed of Trust Filed.

Heur, secretary of the St. Louis Ter-minal Railroad association, today filed a deed of trust with the recorder of deeds for \$50,000,000 in favor of the Central Trust company and William Taussig, both of New York City.

### Millionaire Fireman Dead. Lebanon, Pa., Feb. 7.—Wittiam C. Freeman, the Cornwall mil' naire, died today at his home at Cornwall, aged 62 years.

BOER BREACH WIDERED.

Chamberlain's Rebuke Has Done Nothing to Help It. Bloemfontein, Feb. 7-The conference here yesterday between Colonial Secy. Chamberlain and 40 Boers of the extreme party, including Christian De Wet, at which Chamberlain rebuked the delegation for presenting him with an address, which he regarded as insulting, inasmuch as it impugned the good faith of himself and government.

has further widened the breach be-tween the Boer factions. Chritsian

De Wet, who spoke after Mr. Chamber-"His remarks would come like m tard after meal," and concluded with aserting that no co-operation of the Boers was possible so long as Piet De Wet and Chritsian De Wet both rep-resented the people. The country resented the people. The country would not be ruled by them, but would De Wet would not rest until he had caused a rebellion, not an rmed rebellion, but a rebellion of agitation and discontent against the gov-

### Consul Caroll Dead.

Paris, Feb. 7 .- Consul-Gen. Gowdy has been informed that John H. Car-Spain, died today of consumption a Mentone, where he was on leave of ab-

The United States vice-consul at Genoa telegraphed that Hubbard T Smith, the vice and deputy consul-general at Cairo, who is lying in a hospi-tal at Genoa, suffering from cancer of the kidneys, is gradually sinking.

### Will Settle Oats Trades.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—As a result of the arbitration of the difficulties growing out of the July oats deal of last year, the firms which defaulted in their settlements will now be allowed to settle all their own trades at 551/4, according to a decision rendered by the arbitra-tion committee. The decision which fixes the price of settlement at 55% ends a long fight, which has been car ried on since July.

### Steamship Movements.

Liverpool, Feb. 7 .- Arrived: Celtic and Nomadic from New York, Southampton, Feb. 7.—Arrived; Friesland, New York.
Queensland, Feb. 7.—Arrived off Etruria, from New York to Liverpool, and proceeded without communicating the shore on account of severe

### Bowling Match Off.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 7.—The big bewling match for \$1.000 proposed be-tween the Chicago Big Trio, under the management of W. V. Thompson, of Chicago, and the All-Americans under he Sam Karpff, of Dayton, which was to have been a feature of the bowling congress, has been declared off because he latter team will not be available.

### Lee Hall Lynched.

Dublin, Ga., Feb. 7.-Lee Hall, colored, who shot and mortally wounded Sheriff Crawford last Wedneseday night, was taken from jall at Wrights-ville today and lynched.

#### Presidential Nominations. Washington, Feb. 6.-The president

eday sent the following nominations o the senate: Navy-Lieutenant Commander Robrt C. Denig, to be commander. First Lieut, William F. Reynolds, be captain; second Lieut, Edward C Johnston to be first fleutenant; Thir leut, Joseph B, Crozier, to be second

### IDAHO POSTMASTERS APPOINTED.

(Special to the "News.")

Washington, D. C., Feb. 7.-Postmasters appointed: Idaho-Lewisville, Fremont county, John Arrowsmith Jr. vice Albert Taylor, resigned. Wyoming-Widowfield, Carbon coun-

y, Lena Hastings, vice Matilda Jessup, resigned. An increase of pension to \$20 per month has been granted James Thompson, Cheyenne, Wyoming.

POSTOFFICE DISCONTINUED. The postoffice at Hamblin, Washington county. Utah, has been ordered dis continued and mail sent to Pinto.

HOPE FOR HIS RECOVERY. Considerable anxiety is felt here i the illness of ex-Senator Frank J. Can-non. Many senators who were in the senate when Mr. Cannon was a mem-ber of the body are hoping for his re-

Bowen's Lack Of Etiquette.

Caused Much Izzitation in London-Ambassador Herbezt's Strictures Found Sympathetic Support in Downing Street-Foreign Office Averse to Going to The Hague Lest New Complications Arise Prior to a Decision.

London, Feb. 7 .- The announcement from Washington that the Venezuela protocol is in the course of preparation, confirming the hopeful views of the situation expressed here, has created great satisfaction. During the latter part of the week official circles here evinced quiet confidence that in spite of alarming reports a settlement was in sight. There have been private expressions of intense irritation at Minister Bowen's alleged breach of etiquette, but these have never been allowed to interfere with the dtermination voiced by both the British and the German diplomats to secure a termination of the difficulty through any feasible channel. Ambassador Herbert's strictures found sympathetic support in Downing street and apparently formed the subject of exchanges of messages between Berlin, London of messages between Berlin, London and Rome, whence the representatives of those powers at Washington were instructed to present a united front and prevent the recurrence of the pub-lication of news of the nature of which

he had complained.

The refusal of President Roosevelt to arbitrate the question as to whether the powers shall receive preferential treatment in the settlement of their claims against Venezuela is regretted, but, as cabled yesterday, it was anticipated boxe. ticipated here.

The strong disinclination of the British foreign office to have recourse to The Hague court of arbitration was founded chiefly on the fear that be-tween now and the rendering of the court's decision new complications may arise and the decision to refer the matter to The Hague was only arrived at as a last resort when the negotiations threatened to drag on indefinitely. The officials here are confident that The Hague court will give the allies at least some measure of different treatdid not take aggressive steps to se-cure their alleged rights.

shall agree upon one person as the ar-bitrator and that person probably will be the minister of foreign affairs of The Netherlands. A more difficult set of protocols to arrange will be those providing for the adjudication and gettlement of all claims against Venezua'a, emitting any reference to the question of preference, but it is felt that if the negotiators are willing to accept Mr. Bowen's proposal constituting separate commis-sions at Caracas to pass upon ques-

or destroyed, those protocols may be drawn within a few days. Meanwhile the messages are passing between Mr. Bowen and the allies' rep-resentatives in amicable manner and least some measure of different treatment in the settlement of claims from that accorded to the other nations, who did not take aggressive steps to seit is believed that the negotiations will

tions of fact, such as the actual value

of property claimed to have been seized

## MAJORS CASE UP ON MONDAY the prisoners. The police are certain if the men were not directly concerned in Monday night's lawless affair, they know who the guilty parties are, and are able to throw much

Slayer of Police Captain Brown To Face the Court.

COMES UP ON AN APPEAL.

Is First Case on the Calendar for Opening of February Term of Supreme Court.

On Monday morning the February term of the supreme court will open. The calendar for this term contains 26 cases which are set for hearing between Feb. 9 and Feb. 19, inclusive, The first case on the calendar is the famous Abe Majors case, which is up on appeal for the second time. The vs James Morgan, Morgan, or Majors as he is more familiarly known, was gree for the killing of Police Captain Brown of Ogden several years ago and was sentenced to death. Upon appeal, the case was reversed and a new trial ordered. The result of the second trial wa that Morgan was sentenced to life imprisonment. A second appeal is now

pending from that judgment. The Mortensen case is not on the calendar for this term as the briefs and abstracts of the attorneys have not yet been filed with the clerk of the sureme court, hence his case will not be argued until the May term of court, which begins on the second Monday in

the month.

#### PERISHED IN THE COLD. Old Man Frozen to Death in a Small Idaho Town.

(Special to the "News.")

Boise, Ida., Feb. 7 .- News was received in Boise today of the freezing to death of William Martin at Oreana, Owyhee county, last Tuesday night. He had been drinking heavily during the evening, and when the time for closing the saloon came, he was required to leave. He made his way about a hundred yards from the saloon, when he presumably fell. It was a biting cold light, and when he was found next morning he was in a precarious condi-tion and soon died. Deceased was about 65 years old. Two years ago a similar death occurred at the same saloon, an old sheepherder being frozen to death after being turned out late at night.

#### SUSPECTS WERE "SWEATED" Police Severe on Two Men Held Under Suspicion.

The police now have two men under arrest, suspected of implication in Monday night's attempted robbery and the tragedy that followed. The two men are being held pending further investigation, and their identity is being withheld from the public. Yesterday afternoon the men were "sweated" in Chief Paul's private office, but what information the officers received was carefully suppressed. On thing is certain. The authorities have received in- | Mrs. Brown.

proceed to a successful conclusion formation with reference to the two men which juestifies them in keeping the men prisoners. The police are cer-

light upon the matter. Yesterday afternoon the dead bandit was buried. The body was placed in a common wooden casket and lowered into a pauper's grave.

### CANNON IMPROVING. Condition is Much Better Today Than

Although former Senator Cannon is not entirely out of danger his condition today showed so much improvement over that of any other time since the operation, that his family and friends were very much gratified. The stomach complication which proved to be so distressing on Thursday night has almost entirely disappeared and the prospects now are for a more restruj period and

#### consequent rapid recovery. INCREASE IN BIRTHS. Salt Lake Population Was Materially

Strengthened During the Week. The number of births reported in Salt Lake City for the week ending Feb. 7, title of the case is the State of Utan is in excess of the week preceding and more than for the same period last year. Thirty-four male births were reconvicted of murder in the first de- ported and 17 female births. The deaths among residents for the same period were eight males and 10 females; three non-residents died here, eight bodies were brought here for interment and three shipped away. Two still births, not counted in the death rate, were also Pneumonia was the chief

cause of death.

The new cases of scarlet fever decreased from 15 last week to six for the period covered by this report and a like number having been discharged as cured, left 27 cases in detention in 18 premises, the same number as last week and four more than four the same week last year. Six new cases of diphtheria developed during the week, two died and five were released, leaving six cases in houses with warning signs displayed. At the close of last report there were 65 cases of smallpox in detention; 12 cases were discharged and 21 new ones were reported, leaving 74 cases in quarcases of chicken pox were also reported.

#### BROWN PAYS ALIMONY. Ex-Senator Prefers This to Going to County Jail.

Ex-Senator Arthur Brown did not languish behind the prison bars of the county jail last night, but to the contrary remained a free American citien. He preferred to pay the \$150 alimony as ordered by Judge Hall, instead of acompanying Sheriff Emery o the county bastile. When Sheriff Emery and Deputy Sheriff Steele called on the senator at his office yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, they were received in a very courteous manner, and after informing the senator as to the object of their visit. Atty, Barnes, who is connected with the firm, at ones banded them a check for \$150, after which they left the office.

The matter was evidently pre-arranged by mean Sanator Brown and his

ranged between Senator Brown and his partner, Judge Henderson, as the check was signed by Judge Henderson alone and was made out in favor of Sheriff Emery. On one corner of the check was written the words: "Allmony for Mrs. Brown." The check was today turned over to Atty. C. S. Varian for